memory as some distant str ing slowly, dies away, yet when all is still again;

net to meet no more. Upon the sea life we pass like ships. A moment seer had shown, a shoul, thrown cheerily, an darkness waves and distance stretch

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The translator does not suppose that the following pages will add much to the grave there are touches here and there which and Lational, which help us to better un derstand the sad story of those years.

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K.O'N.

PREFACE.

A recent visit to the Confederate States of erica having permitted me to study oughly the social condition of a people result of my observations and respections submit them to the consideration of the statesmen of Europe. I have traveled through many States of the new Confederacy and have conversed with many of the people, not only simple citizens, but the leading men of the country—the statesmen who preside over the destinies of this people, and everywhere I have been convinced of their earnestness and the unanimity of of their earnestness and the unanimity of their views upon the question which the have determined to decide by force of arm C. GIRARD.

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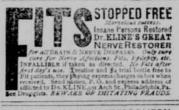
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